

Abstract

An electronic device which includes a user interface having a display for displaying text and a speech synthesiser including a loudspeaker, arranged to convert an input, dependent upon a text, to an audio output representative of a person reading the text. The device may delay with respect to the audio output corresponding to a portion of text the display of the portion of text. The device may also or alternatively delay with respect to the audio output corresponding to a portion of text the highlighting of the portion of text within a displayed text.